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## For the Roundabout. Mother and Father.

In the cold winter night sadly I roam,  
My poor mother is dead, I have no pleasant home;  
No one cares for me, no one would cry  
Even if poor little Mary would die.  
Weary and tired I have wandered all day,  
Asking for work, but I am too small they say.  
On the cold ground I must now lay my head,  
Father is a drunkard and mother is dead.  
We were so happy until father drank rum  
Then all our sorrow and trouble begun.  
Mother grew pale and wept every day,  
Brother and I were too hungry to play.  
Slowly they faded till one summer night  
Found their sweet faces silent and white.  
Father is a drunkard and mother is dead!  
Oh! if the temperance men would only find  
Poor wretched father and talk to him kind  
They might stop him from drinking, and then  
I would be so very happy again.  
'Tis not too late, temperance men, please try  
Or poor little Mary must soon starve and die.  
All day long I've been begging for bread—  
Father's a drunkard and mother is dead.

H. H.

## Editorial Correspondence.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., July 28th, 1880.

After having completed my last letter, which was much longer than it ought to have been, though I should have said much more in justice to Maysville and in praise of the State Temperance Mass Meeting at Parks' Hill, I took a stroll, in company with an old friend, through

CYNTHIANA.

This thriving little city has a population of about 3,000, and boasts of a number of good schools and churches, to say nothing of the two newspapers published here. The first thing that attracts the attention of a stranger is six or eight hotel porters, who yell in one's ears the advantages to be derived from stopping at the hotels they represent. There is no escape from them. They follow and torment one until he registers at one or another of the hotels, and then the disappointed porters give him a glance which very plainly says, "Never mind, old fellow; I'll get even with you sometime."

Cynthiana appears to have its share of business, and an air of contentment pervades the place which is truly refreshing to a stranger. Dr. T. H. Hood, formerly of Frankfort, resides here, and is doing a lucrative business in the drug line. My next stopping place was

PALMOUTH,

a quiet little town of 1,300 inhabitants, situated on the K. C. R. R., thirty-seven miles south of Cincinnati. There is nothing to be said of this place, except that there is an evident lack of enterprise on the part of the good people, which is almost painful to witness. The business men and their clerks talk and whistle on the tops of dry goods boxes, and seem to be engaged in an united effort to kill time. I have reason to know of, and cheerfully testify to, the goodness of heart and cordial hospitality of some of its citizens.

COVINGTON

was the next place I visited, and, after having seen most of the city, I marked it down as the place where can be found the

greatest number of dealers in second-hand goods. One enterprising individual advertises to buy, sell or exchange second-hand shoes—a branch of business I never before heard of. Second-hand clothes, books, &c., can be found in several houses on each block, and one is painfully impressed with the idea that he is in a city whose people have no ambition to do more than play second fiddle, so to speak, to her neighbor across the river—to live on the crumbs that fall from her rich neighbor's table.

After spending a night in the Queen City, I take the early morning train on the C. S. R. R. for

WILLIAMSTOWN,

located thirty-five miles south of Cincinnati. This is a quiet, ancient looking town of 700 inhabitants, situated among the hills of Grant county. There is nothing remarkable about the town except a total absence of anything remarkable. Its houses are old and in bad repair, its street is narrow and rough, and the town itself seems to stand much in need of a general overhauling. Its people are famed for their hospitality and their devotion to the cause of temperance. This is the only place in Kentucky, that I have heard of, where it is fashionable to be a Good Templar. The temperance work in Williamstown speaks loud in praise of its good people, many of whom I know and have met in the good cause. Leaving here, I proceeded to

GEORGETOWN,

the "Beautiful Belle of the Blue-Grass." I scarcely know what to say of this pretty little city, with its fine court-house, its elegant business houses, its tasteful residences, its refined, hospitable people. There is an air of business prosperity here that is noticeable on entering the place, and a conversation with any of its public-spirited business men will at once satisfy you that nothing but gold glitters in Georgetown. Its people are cultivated and generous, its business made to thrive, and it only needs a good hotel to make it a model little city. From here I went to Frankfort—the most beautiful place on the globe—where I remained over Sunday. Other places may justly boast of more public spirit, more enterprise, more business; but for beautiful women, gallant men, big-hearted hospitality and well-meaning people, dear old Frankfort is entitled to the palm.

Monday evening found me in the pretty little town of

OWING-VILLE,

the capital of Bath county. It has 600 inhabitants, and two newspapers. Just think of that—supports two newspapers! It is beautifully located on a hill which commands a view of the mountains, only fourteen miles away, on one side, and the fine blue-grass pastures, wherein feed thousands of fat cattle for the New York market, on the other. Sitting in the door of the hotel on Main street, one sees, and can almost throw a stone into, the fields of

waving corn, just outside the town limits. The houses look new and neat, the yards are well cared for, and everything looks inviting and so comfortable that it produces a feeling of rest, after a ride of fourteen miles, in an omnibus, from the railroad. This place is remarkable for its great number of beautiful young ladies and the taste and elegance with which they dress. Society here is exceptionally fine, and the people's hearts are as big as the world.

A Hancock and English pole, 103 feet long, was raised Monday evening, and on Tuesday a grand ratification was had. The orators of the day were Gen. Cassius M. Clay, Hon. W. B. Fleming, Judge E. C. Phister and Hon. G. C. Lockhart. The crowd in attendance was immense—the number being variously estimated at from five to ten thousand. It appeared as if the adjoining counties had sent their entire population to participate in the ratification. Mr. Adie O. Robertson, of the Bath county Reporter, deserves most of the credit for the success of the affair, for on him devolved nearly all the work of preparation. He's a whole team, and a good one, too. Wolfe & Trost's Lexington band made music for the occasion, and did it in their usual good style.

In company with Gen. Clay and Mr. Fleming I left this pleasant little place about sunset, and after a ride through the most beautiful country I ever saw, I reached

MT. STERLING,

where, on the following day, Mr. T. C. Anderson's sale of thorough-bred short-horns was to take place. The hotels were crowded with strangers who had come to attend the sale, and nothing was talked of but short-horns.

As is known, Mt. Sterling is the county seat of Montgomery county and the terminus of the L. C. & L. R. R. It has a population of 2,100, and is one of the largest little cities in Kentucky. An immense amount of business is transacted here, and the merchants and other citizens appear to be fully alive to their business interests. Two first-class papers are well sustained here, but, unfortunately, not a good hotel is to be found. The business houses have a city-like appearance, and many of the residences are built with a view to comfort and elegance combined. Large yards, well kept, adorn the place, and, taken altogether, a stranger is very favorably impressed with it. C. B.

At the last regular meeting of Court Fleetwood, No. 26, I. O. F., the following officers were elected for the next six months:

T. J. Hutchison, C. R.  
Sol. Harris, V. R.  
Geo. A. Lewis, R. Sec.  
Claude Buckley, Fl. Sec.  
L. Herrmann, Treas.  
Gus. Shaefer, S. W.  
J. W. Rupe, J. W.  
U. Keenon, S. B.  
Harry Buckley, J. B.

A turnstile has been placed in front of the general delivery at the post-office.

Under the impression that the Chinese Glossing Iron was but another of the numerous worthless things that are being sold throughout the country, we spoke disparagingly of it in our last issue. Since then we have made the acquaintance of Mr. G. F. Rich, the agent who is introducing it, whom we found to be a perfect gentleman, and he assured us that the iron will do all that he claims for it, producing numerous recommendations from prominent citizens of the cities in which he has been to back his statements. Having been convinced we were wrong, we gladly make this correction, and recommend Mr. Rich as a gentleman whose word can be relied on.

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FRANKFORT, JULY 31, 1880.

#### TERMS.

The WEEKLY ROUNDABOUT is published every Saturday, at one dollar per annum, invariably in advance.

Six months, 50 cents; three months, 25 cents. Money may be sent by post-office money order, or registered letter at our risk.

Notices of Marriages, Births, and Deaths inserted free of charge. Obituary notices will be charged for at our regular advertising rates.

The workmen began laying brick on Geo. Buhr's new hotel Thursday.

We take pleasure in calling the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mrs. A. L. Franklin's school in South Frankfort. Fall Academy, the next session of which will begin on the first Monday in September. Mrs. Franklin is a lady of a number of years' experience as a teacher and those who place their children under her charge can rest assured they will be thoroughly instructed.

Capt. Ed. M. Drane has been building a large lighter upon the sand bar just below Rodman & Sneed's mill for some time, and had just about gotten it completed Monday afternoon, when an effort was made to turn it over preparatory to launching it. It was raised nearly to the turning point when something broke and down it came, smashing the boat so badly that it will have to be rebuilt.

#### Tobacco.

The meeting of the tobacco men of Franklin and the adjoining counties, at Frankfort, on Saturday, August 14, is already attracting the attention not only of persons directly engaged in growing and handling tobacco, but of business men generally.

The tobacco trade naturally centering at Frankfort is already a big thing, and by building a first-class warehouse and dry house, with a stemmery and factory, it can be increased to three or four times its present capacity. All that is needed is the hearty co-operation of a dozen or twenty men of energy and capital to make the movement a success.

The warehouse company should be a joint stock company, with capital enough, after building the houses, to make liberal advances on crops of tobacco so as to enable the grower to increase the acreage at least four times what it now is. This would make wealth for the growers and large dividends for the stockholders.

There can be no doubt about the profits of the business conducted on this plan. The ten dollars spent in getting each hog-head to market will be divided out at home, and all will share in the profits.

It is the purpose to elect all the officers and fully organize at this meeting, and we hope our business men and capitalists will lend their aid to this promising enterprise. It is worthy of their support. It comes opportunely, just as the Kentucky river improvement is approaching completion.

We are indebted to Mr. Henry Parrent, formerly of this county, but now of Montana, for recent Montana papers.

Col. J. Stoddard Johnston is erecting a veranda in front of his residence in South Frankfort, which will add greatly to the appearance of the building.

Rev. Green Clay Smith will preach at the South Frankfort Baptist Church tomorrow at 11 o'clock, a. m., and 8 o'clock, p. m. All are invited to attend.

The premium lists of the coming fair of the Kentucky Industrial Association have just been issued from the ROUNDABOUT office and are now ready for distribution.

Judge Thos. F. Hargis has purchased of Gen. John Rodman the house and lot on Main street, South Frankfort, at present occupied by Mr. Russell Rodman, for which he paid \$2,500.

The McCreary Guards have received an invitation to be present at a picnic and Confederate soldiers' reunion near Georgetown, next Thursday, August 5th, and participate in a competitive drill.

There was a buggy-horse race of one mile at the Fair Grounds Thursday afternoon, between Messrs. Dick Church and Ben. Williams. Williams won, his horse trotting in 3:26. Quite a crowd was in attendance and enjoyed the sport very much.

Mrs. Gov. Blackburn lost her trunk in going to, and Misses Loulie Nuckols and Florence Berry lost theirs in returning from, Crab Orchard. Mrs. Blackburn's was found in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., but the young ladies have not heard from theirs yet.

There will be a three best in five trotting race at the Fair Grounds this afternoon, at 4 o'clock. Six horses have been entered and some good sport is promised. No admission will be charged to the track and everybody can go and see the fun. The following good ones will start in the race: Madge, St. Julian, Maude S., Callery, Hughes, and Sallie Johnson.

W. Tommy Sapp, the Kentucky dwarf, was traveling around town in a wagon Wednesday selling his photographs to all who would buy. He lay upon a little bed in the wagon, being unable to sit or stand. He is but three feet tall, and is 25 years of age. He was dwarfed by a protracted spell of rheumatism in his infancy. His head is unnaturally large, and one of his hands is much smaller than the other. He is quite a curiosity to look upon.

The State Sunday-School Union will meet in fifteenth annual convention at Shelbyville next Tuesday, August 3d, and continue in session three days. All Sunday-Schools outside of Louisville are free to send any number of delegates. The Louisville schools are restricted to one delegate for each one hundred members. Free entertainment will be furnished delegates by the citizens of Shelbyville, and the L. C. & L. railroad will charge them full fare going and return them at one-third the regular rate.

#### Personal.

Miss Jennie Duvall is visiting friends in Louisville.

Miss Annie Bull is visiting friends in Scott county.

Miss States Duvall is visiting friends in Louisville.

Mr. Henry R. Williams is visiting relatives in Ohio.

Miss Jennie Bull is visiting friends in Elizabethtown.

Mrs. S. P. Browder has been in Louisville the past week.

Miss Dorsie Stanton has returned from a visit to friends at Paris.

Judge C. S. Grubbs, of Russellville, is visiting relations in this city.

Rev. W. F. B. Jackson, of Philadelphia, is visiting friends in this city.

Dr. J. S. Price returned Monday afternoon from a visit to New York.

Mrs. J. T. Terhune left Wednesday for a month's visit to friends near Bagdad.

Mrs. Edward M. Drane is visiting her sister, Mrs. Philip Speed, in Louisville.

Mrs. Henrietta C. Campbell, of Louisville, is visiting her son, Mr. J. B. Campbell, in this city.

Miss Libbie Weitzel left for Wheeling, West Virginia, Thursday afternoon to visit relatives.

Mr. Philip Selbert, wife, and children returned from a visit to Cincinnati Monday afternoon.

Mr. J. W. Forsee and wife, of Fort Keough, Montana, are visiting the family of Mr. B. F. Meek.

Miss Laura Campbell will leave this afternoon for a visit to relatives in Louisville and Nelson county.

Mrs. Lynn Boyd, who has been visiting friends in Calloway county for some time, returned home Wednesday.

Miss Lizzie Tharp, who has been visiting friends in Nicholasville for some time, is expected home this afternoon.

Mr. Llewelyn Marshall, who has been on a visit to Marion county the past week, returned home Tuesday morning.

Misses Eva Latimer, Maggie Denison, and Emma Hacker, of Louisville, are visiting Miss Dora Huffman, South Side.

Misses Bettie Stewart, Sallie Cannon, Pattie Roberts, Lullie Nuckols, and Florence Berry returned from Crab Orchard Tuesday morning.

Misses Alice and Annie Lehman, who have been visiting Mrs. Ben Deering, returned to their home in Midway Thursday morning.

Mr. A. W. Brown, who has been employed in the Gazette office, in this city, for some time, returned to his home in Louisville Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Wells and daughter, Miss Nellie, who have been visiting in this city for several weeks past, returned to their home in Springfield, Ills., Monday afternoon.

Dr. C. C. Lewis, formerly of this county, who has been living at Owensboro for several years past, has sold out there and will locate at Stamping Ground, Scott county.

Mrs. Harriet Page and Mr. T. M. Porter and wife, of Covington, who have been visiting friends in this city for several weeks, returned home Wednesday morning.

Mr. John H. Morris, formerly of this county, left Wednesday afternoon for Saratoga, New York, to accept a position with Messrs. Dwyer Brothers, the celebrated race horse men.

#### BORN.

In this city, on Thursday, July 29th, to the wife of J. R. Williams, a daughter—RUBIN CLARK.

In this city, on Thursday, July 29th, to the wife of Lieut. C. C. Todd, a son—HARRY I.

In this city, to the wife of D. J. McCarty, on the 21st, Inst., a daughter—MARY BELLE.

In this county, on Monday, July 13th, to the wife of C. A. Johnson, a daughter—ANNA MAJOR—weight 10 pounds.

#### MARRIED.

In Jackson, Miss., at the residence of Gen. T. J. Wharton, father of the bride, Mr. JOHN J. HAMPTON, of Lexington, Ky., to Mrs. Iva E. W. TALBUTT, on Wednesday evening, July 29, 1880.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### CORONER.

We are authorized to announce ALEX. McEWAN as a candidate for Coroner of Franklin county, at the August election, 1880.

#### CITY MARSHAL.

We are authorized to announce THOS. J. TODD as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal, at the ensuing August election.

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FRANKFORT, JULY 31, 1886.

LARGEST CIRCULATION IN CITY AND COUNTY.

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On and after April 28th, 1879, trains on the L. C. & L. R. R. will leave Frankfort daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

#### TRAINS WEST.

No. 4. Leave Frankfort.....8:15 a. m.  
No. 12. Leave Frankfort.....2:30 p. m.

#### TRAINS EAST.

No. 9. Leave Frankfort.....9:04 a. m.  
No. 11. Leave Frankfort.....5:40 p. m.  
The 2:30 P. M. train will make close connection, as formerly, for Cincinnati.

E. P. BRYAN, Agent.

Turn him around.

Who is Sergeant Price?

Were you ever at Crab Orchard?

There is a picnic at Capt. Jno. Walcutt's park to-day.

The flowers are blooming very little this summer.

The Council meets in regular session Tuesday night.

Double the amount of grain has been shipped over the L. C. & L. Railroad this year that there was last.

Foresters meet in their court-room, in Commonwealth Building, St. Clair street, next Wednesday evening, at eight o'clock.

Ghosts appeared to the hands at work on Lock No. 2, on the river, and as a consequence the majority, who were negroes, quit work.

Mr. Frank Chinn's handsome new residence on Shelby street, South Frankfort, is about completed, and he will shortly take possession of it.

The office of the Singer Sewing Machine Company has been removed to the room in Sol. Harris' block lately occupied by Mr. O'Malley as a tailor shop.

In order to "quote" the ROUNDABOUT correctly the Yeoman should take its extracts from this paper and not make use of second-hand ones that have been altered.

By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that a very desirable two-story brick residence is for rent. Go and see 'Squire Gwin and he'll tell you all about it.

Mr. Russell Rodman has commenced the erection of a handsome frame residence on his lot on Todd street, South Frankfort, adjoining the property of Mr. John W. Rodman.

Lake, the pedestrian who walked around the court house square in Lexington several weeks ago, is a former Frankfort boy. He is a son of Mrs. Miscall, who lived here twenty years ago.

Three young bicyclists arrived in this city Sunday evening from Louisville, having made the trip, 52 miles, in seven hours. They left Louisville at 5 1/2 o'clock in the morning, arriving at Shelbyville at 9, where they rested until 5 in the afternoon, when they came on to this city, arriving here at 8 in the evening. They returned home Monday morning on the train.

Mr. John Schweibold, while employed as a laborer on Mr. Thos. Rodman's new house, Monday afternoon, was overcome by heat. He has recovered sufficiently to be at work again.

Some twelve or fifteen Sir Knights of this city will attend the triennial convocation of the Grand Encampment, Knights Templar, of the United States, which meets in Chicago, August 16th.

We were misinformed with regard to the horse driven by the ladies, last week, scaring at bicycles at the end of the bridge. It was a basket of clothes in the hands of a boy on the bridge that frightened him. The young men on bicycles were some distance in the rear of the buggy.

Capt. Ed. Drane's new boat has been completed and he left with it for Cedar Lock last Monday, where he has a contract for filling cribbing with stone. He will use the boat in hauling stone when necessary, but at other times it will be used as a boarding-house for his hands.

A one-legged tramp raided several houses on Broadway and Clinton streets Sunday afternoon. He carried off several hats from the hall racks and other small articles, but nothing of great value was missed. He did not stop to ring door bells but walked in and helped himself to whatever was handy.

A party of eight ladies and gentlemen, from this city and county, went to Niagara Falls last week with the excursionists over the Blue Grass Route. They had a splendid time and speak in the highest terms of the manner in which they were treated by Mr. Jas. C. Ernst and the other railroad officials.

Mr. Jos. B. Lewis has sent to this office a large tomato, of the Red Trophy variety, grown by him, which is a curiosity. It measures nineteen inches in length and eight inches in circumference; is wound up in a ball seventeen inches in circumference, and weighed a pound and a half. Who can produce one like it?

The McCreary Guards, under command of Lieut. J. L. Price, returned from Camp Blackburn, at Crab Orchard, Monday afternoon. They had a good time, got sunburned, came near getting the flag for good conduct, but got a lot of tobacco instead (one plug to three men), and come home covered with glory and dust.

Mr. Hugh R. Ayres, the engineer who has been in charge of the improvements on the lock and dam near this city for some time, received orders from Capt. Cuyler last week to turn everything over to Mr. Sublett, in charge at Cedar Lock, and report for duty at Lock No. 1, near Carrollton. He left for his new post of duty Wednesday.

The Christian Church in this city has been undergoing repairs the past two weeks. Last week the walls and ceiling of the lecture-room were painted a beautiful color and the pews revarnished. The outside portion of the wood work of the whole building was also repainted. This week the walls of the audience-room have been painted and blocked in imitation of stone, the wood work around the pulpit repainted, and the pews and wainscoting varnished and when Mr. Darsie returns from his summer vacation everything will be in apple-pie order.

A cripple, seated in a small wagon drawn by three goats, was selling pencils and paper on our streets Monday. He seems to be doing a very fair business, as his wife and several children travel with him in a two-horse wagon from one town to another, and the goat cart is only made use of to ride about the streets in.

A special train will leave this city Tuesday morning, August 10, at 8:05, to convey the excursionists to Niagara Falls, Toronto, and Lake Chautauqua. The fare for the round trip will be eight dollars, with three dollars extra for sleeping car berths, one dollar extra from Lewiston across the lake to Toronto and return, and fifty cents extra from Brockton to Lake Chautauqua and return, making the total traveling expenses \$12 50. Sleeping car berths can be secured from Mr. E. P. Bryan, agent in this city, and persons contemplating taking the trip should not wait until it is too late, but secure a section at once.

### LOCAL NOTICES.

Come and see how low I am selling strap slippers, Newport ties, light sole shoes, dry goods, notions, &c., at LOGAN McKEE'S, St. Clair street.

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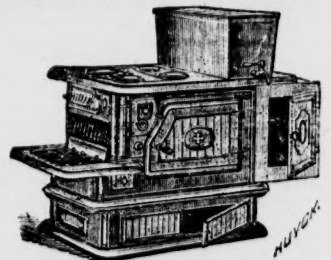
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Jan. 31-ly.

## WEEKLY ROUNDABOUT.

The pit of Lock No. 4, near this city, was cleaned out last week, and boats can pass through it.

There will be an installation of officers at the meeting of Good Templars next Thursday evening.

Rev. W. McD. Abbott will preach at the penitentiary to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

J. B. THARP,  
Chaplain.

The following are the assignments of U. S. Storekeepers in this division for the sixty days commencing August 1, viz:

C. C. Furr to W. A. Gaines & Co., No. 4.  
S. R. Smith to J. & J. M. Saffell, No. 91.  
J. J. Quin to J. N. Blakenore, No. 96.  
A. T. Todd to E. H. Taylor, Jr., No. 113.  
L. S. Coleman to Glenn Spring Distillery Co., No. 57.  
Geo. R. Dunlap to John Cochran & Co., No. 37.  
Wm. H. McClintock to E. H. Taylor, Jr., Co., No. 2.  
J. L. Brown to J. S. Taylor, No. 53.  
Isaac Webb to Labrot & Graham, No. 52.  
W. H. Gray to W. A. Gaines & Co., No. 106.

The following are the officers of election for the ensuing year:

Court-house—Peter Jett and James A. Richardson, judges; Geo. A. Lewis, clerk; John B. Williams, sheriff.

Market-house—John Henderson and Jerome Weitzel, judges; C. H. Hutchitt, clerk; Wilton Hughes, sheriff.

Gas-house—Chas. Davis and A. Salender, judges; Theo. Davis, clerk; Ben. G. Williams, sheriff.

Forks of Elkhorn—J. W. French and H. M. Bedford, judges; D. A. Peters, clerk; M. B. Lucas, sheriff.

Peak's Mill—Jno. R. Gray and J. C. Jackson, judges; G. W. Flynn, clerk; Ed. Little, sheriff.

Bald Knob—Lloyd Hackett and Edward Bailey, jr., judges; Jo. Peyton, clerk; O. B. Polsgrove, sheriff.

Benson—J. B. F. Stigers and Jas. Hullett, judges; D. O. Robinson, clerk; Jas. Shouse, sheriff.

Bridgeport—J. W. Jackson and F. M. Scofield, judges; J. H. Long, clerk; R. D. Armstrong, sheriff.

Cedar Run—R. A. Hawkins and B. S. Hughes, judges; B. F. Rodgers, clerk; Dan. Payne, sheriff.

### A Card.

#### Editor Roundabout:

Every word that was said in regard to work on the Kentucky river at Cedar Dam will be substantiated by Mr. Jas. Webb, of Henry county. He was with me and counted the men at my request. Eleven men in all were at work Saturday evening, July 10th. If there were other hands we failed to see them. We were on the lock wall and took a general look at the lock and dam. I did not say one half of what I heard as to the management of the work at Cedar Lock. I was in favor of government aid to improve the Kentucky river, regardless of Democratic objections that might be and were presented to defeat the measure, and did all in my power to assist in getting the matter through. As my ends were accomplished that far, I do not propose now to see the appropriation wasted and squandered in order that a few favorite and inexperienced ones may enjoy a soft thing at the expense of the government. What do boys and young men know about keeping time and hosing hands, when they are inexperienced and totally ignorant of what they are trying to do? However, it may be a good place for them to learn at a salary of from \$40 to \$75 per month. The same may be said of the "timber inspectors." A man to inspect timber must have some knowledge and ex-

perience in handling timber. Is that the case with the "timber inspectors" now employed at the different locks? Why is it that men go to work on the river and do not remain on the work? There must be some good cause; what is it? Is it not the fact that they have so many bosses and timekeepers about them they become disgusted and leave? Again, why is it that when a carpenter walks from Frankfort to Cedar Lock, seeking work, he can get no satisfaction from any of the officers in charge, as to where his services will be needed? He becomes disgusted and returns to Frankfort. Does that look like the work is progressing rapidly? Perhaps the work will be completed without carpenters. What a wonderful achievement would be accomplished! Four locks and dams rebuilt and repaired without a single carpenter! This is an ingenious age, and it may be accomplished.

It is very easy to circulate a damaging report of this kind to impede the progress of a public work by dispiriting the people and establishing a feeling of mistrust, and it is too often done by persons who do not reflect or do not care what mischief they do.—Yeoman.

If I can "establish a feeling of mistrust in the public," and by so doing attract Capt. Cuyler's attention to the manner in which this work has been conducted, I will do so. Why was not this work properly advertised in the newspapers, and hand-bills posted in conspicuous places and scattered over the country; at least that portion that borders on the river? Why were a few bills struck and carried off to a select few? There are not ten men in Frankfort that have ever seen a bill? Again, why are boys and inexperienced men employed on this work that are totally ignorant and unfit for the position they fill—except it be to draw their salary, and gradually diminish the appropriation that was intended to open up this great water-way? If I can say or do anything to prevent the Kentucky river from meeting with the same fate of Lake Park, or the more recent city adventure, the reservoir, I'll do what I can to prevent failure being ascribed to the Kentucky river, as it is to Lake Park and the reservoir. The work needs life, additional life, to complete it before high water. The work cannot be done without men. When they commence to put the dam in they will find that it will require more than 12 or 15 men to complete Cedar Dam before high water. Let the work speak for itself, and when men come several hundred miles to get work, let them be encouraged and not returned completely disgusted. I want to see this work completed to the mountains, and finished with that vim and life that will make one feel that it will be a success. This is not the time nor the stream to try experiments with; the Kentucky river is hard to handle when she once gets aroused. As I was the one who furnished you with the paragraph that is being copied and commented upon by the press throughout the State, and seeing the article so severely criticised, I feel in duty-bound to say something in its defense. There is much more that could be said, and what I have said will be substantiated and corroborated by responsible and disinterested parties.

W. H. MURRAY.

### Bridgeport.

New firm at Bridgeport—Z. T. Parrent & Son.

Mr. Ed. Wiggs, who has been ill, is convalescent.

Co. Alex. Julian, who has been quite ill, has recovered.

Mr. Jerry Long is painting Mr. James Russell's new residence.

Bridgeport is beginning to put on a business-like appearance again.

Masters Owen and Cochran Bailey, of Louisville, are visiting relatives here.

Hawks are committing great depredations among the chickens in this neighborhood.

Messrs. C. N. Riner and Lycurgus Write, who have been visiting relatives in Henry county, have returned home.

## SECOND ANNUAL Royal Palace Excursion!

Via The Louisville and Cincinnati Short Line.

AUGUST 10TH, 1880.

To Niagara Falls, Toronto, Canada, Lake Chautauqua, Put-In-Bay, Lake Erie, and Lake Ontario. Coaches, Parlor Cars, and Palace Sleepers will run through to the Falls and return without change.

Fare—Round Trip to Niagara Falls, \$8; Lake Chautauqua, \$7; Put-In-Bay, \$6.—Fare for Double Berth in Sleepers to the Falls for the Round Trip only \$3.

For full particulars see small bills, or call on the Short Line agents. The same facilities furnished and attention given the excursionists last year will be given this year. Messrs. McChesney and Realy will accompany the train as before. July 31-21.

## GREAT CLEARANCE SALE OF Clothing! Clothing! Clothing!

I will offer my entire stock of Men's, Boys,' and Children's Clothing at

**STRICTLY COST PRICES  
FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.**

Men's Skeleton Suits,	\$3 75
Blue Flannel Suits,	6 50
Good Light-colored Cassimere Suits,	7 00
Boys' Blue Flannel Suits,	5 00
Odd Pants, from	75 cents to 5 00
Men's Office Coats,	35
Boys' Coats,	25
Boys' Mohair Coats,	50
Boys' Black Luster Coats,	75

Fine Chevoit Suits from \$3 to \$5 less than former prices. Large Stock Summer Underwear in India Gause, Nainsook, and Balbriggan, at prices lower than other houses buy them. Straw Hats, Wool Hats, Fur Hats, below cost at

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Cor. Main and St. Clair Streets, Frankfort, Ky.

N. B.—Special attention called to my stock of BOYS' SUITS, suitable for confirmation.

J. H. Shinn, Esq., who has been in Louisville this week attending to important legal business, has returned home.

Mr. James Hiatte and Misses Elgetha Smith and Sallie Hiatte have returned from a visit to relatives in Eminence.

Mr. Ed. Brawner and family, of Flat creek neighborhood, who have been visiting Mrs. Riner, near this place, have returned home.

The personal property of Mr. A. C. Taylor, deceased, was appraised last week by Messrs. Jerry Long, Jacob Williams and G. W. Hall.

Mrs. John Shouse and Miss Lucinda Riner were thrown from their horse at the baptizing Sunday. They were more frightened than hurt, we are happy to say.

Rev. Ed. Roberts has been holding a series of meetings at Roberts' School house the past two weeks. There were eight additions, seven of whom were immersed last Sunday. The meeting closed Monday night.

According to the census books of James Russell, Esq., the population of this Magis-

terial district is 1,797, of which 420 are voters. Mr. Russell has been very accurate in his work, not having had any mistakes to correct.

Died—On the 15th inst., at his residence in Hill county, Texas, of typhoid malarial fever, Dr. Sam. Scofield. Dr. Scofield had just completed his education in medicine and went to Texas four months ago. He was a resident of this county in his youth, and was beloved by all who knew him. To his bereaved relatives we tender our warmest sympathy. Bug.

I deem it a duty to state that Mr. —, of this county, had his right lung seriously affected with tubercular deposit, accompanied with night sweats, frequent hemorrhage, copious expectorations and much emaciation; the use of Fellow's Syrup of Hypophosphites seems to have arrested the progress of the disease almost immediately, the hemorrhage has not returned, his appetite is excellent, and he is able to attend to his business as usual.

A. SMITH, M. D.,  
Campbelltown, N. B.